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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Utility Application of:

Steven Reeder et al.

Serial No.:

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For:

WINDOW, MUNTIN AND
METHOD

Group Art Unit:

1733

Examiner:

Francis J. Lorin



AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action mailed 05 January 1999,
applicants respond as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

5. (Once amended) The method as claimed in claim [5] 1 further
comprising the step of hermetically sealing the two panes of glass.

REMARKS:

In the Office Action mailed 05 January 1999, claims 1-5 and 10-17
were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103 as being unpatentable over Mistrick
et al. There was further a restriction requirement.

Applicants herein confirm the telephonic election made on 28